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# News Release

## HPD Arrests One from Weekend Stabbing

**Jan. 18, 2012**

The Harrisonburg Police Department has identified and arrested the offender from this past weekend's stabbing.

Andrew Bartlett, 26, of Vancouver, WA was charged yesterday evening with aggravated malicious wounding.

Officers responded to the parking lot of Firetop Bar and Grill, 1971 Evelyn Byrd Ave. on Jan. 15 for the report of a stabbing.

Around 1:30 a.m. a 22-year-old male was assaulted after an argument took place. The victim was taken to Rockingham Memorial Hospital and later flown to the University of Virginia Medical Center, where he remains in stable condition.

Through the follow-up investigation, investigators received valuable information from witnesses and others who had encountered the offender. The information received ultimately led investigators to identifying and arresting the offender.

**Note to media:** If you look up this particular charge on the offender in court or online, his name might be misspelled. The **incorrect** spelling is Andrew Berlett. Please use the correct spelling, which appears in the main body of this release.

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**Andrew Bartlett**